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## Coming and Going.

Misses Mary B. and Annie M. Beeton, of Lexington, left on the noon train yesterday for their home after a short visit among friends and relatives.

Miss Blanche Caul, of Pennsylvania, returned last night to enter the National Business College again Tuesday.

Rev. R. W. Patton has returned to Roanoke from his extended trip to far-off California.

Miss Laura Shaner, of Lynchburg, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Emmett Wright, returned home yesterday.

Judge J. D. Johnston returned yesterday from Giles county court.

R. W. Massie, of Lynchburg, was in the city yesterday.

Battle Porterfield, of Pearisburg, Va., arrived in Roanoke yesterday noon and is completing his arrangements prior to entering the Business College.

Mrs. C. T. Jennings and little daughter, Mamie, left yesterday for Hollins to spend Sunday.

E. T. Beall went to Bedford City yesterday to spend Sunday with relatives.

Sheriff J. W. Caldwell, of Craig county, was in the city yesterday and paid The Times a pleasant call. He is a relative of J. P. Caldwell Democratic nominee for the house of delegates.

Letters were received this morning announcing to Chas. E. Eckert, President of the National Business College, that many new students were to arrive with the old students who will return between now and Tuesday morning, when the school opens.

Miss Kittie VanWagoner has returned from the North, where she has been spending the summer.

Miss Laura Cutchin left Roanoke yesterday for Rockbridge county on a visit to friends.

Miss Maude Kite, of Marksville, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Brady, on Nelson street, left yesterday for her home.

D. J. Garber, who has been on a canvassing tour through Botetourt, Craig, Allegheny, Monroe and Greenbrier counties for the National Business College, returned late last night, and this morning was very enthusiastic over his success and the prospective students who will enter the National Business College during this month.

W. C. Maupin, who has been spending his vacation with relatives here, returned to Charlotte, N. C.

Misses Bee Williams and sister, Johnnie, who have been summering at White Sulphur Springs, stopped with friends in Roanoke for a few days.

W. F. Baker left last night for Philadelphia to purchase his fall stock of merchandise.

Jake Boyd, the crack pitcher and baseball player, has come to New York to accept a lucrative position.

Miss Alfriend, of Richmond, is visiting her sister, Mrs. H. D. Lafferty.

Miss McGuire, of Louisville, is visiting Miss Dorney, on Tenth avenue s. w.

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### MET AND SETTLED.

Bristol Courier: Editor J. A. Faw, of the Times, and Prof. J. R. Furrow settled a little personal difficulty on Lee street yesterday. The fight was not a serious one but just lively enough to be interesting. It seems that the professor had said something which the editor was not pleased with, and the editor took occasion to tell him so. The professor resented the editor's frankness with a lick and got some lively punches in return. This is the third scrap which Prof. Furrow is said to have gotten the worst of, and still he seemeth not afraid.

### ANOTHER EARTHQUAKE.

Pearisburg Virginian: An earthquake shock of decidedly uncomfortable proportions was experienced here on last Friday morning, since which time several slighter shocks have been felt. Reports indicate that the disturbance was more severe in this immediate vicinity than elsewhere, although extending all over the county, and even throughout the adjoining territory. A slight shock was quite generally noticed between seven and eight on Wednesday morning.

### A HIGH OLD TIME.

Bluefield Telegraph: "Hully Gee," but Bluefield will have a high old time on September 11th, when the Roanoke Elks come up in their "Yaller Kid" suits to beat the Bluefield Elks playing ball. See the big poster that the Daily Telegraph printed all about it. The proceeds of the game will be used to help the poor of the city when the frosts and snows make their lot a hard one. Buy as many tickets as you can, and if you don't use them it's all right for the money will be well spent.

Puritan at Jack's News Depot.

### BICYCLE FREE.

Besides selling school books at lowest prices, we give a ticket with each 10 cent purchase. The customer returning us large number of tickets before January 1 will get that \$75 Crescent Bicycle in our window. The Crescent wheel is guaranteed by the Roanoke Cycle Company.

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RECEIVED TO-DAY one car load of Western White Oats. L. N. FOSTER & CO., the Feed Men, 101 Commerce street.

## THE NATIONAL LEAGUE.

At New York—New York, 9 runs, 12 hits, 2 errors; St. Louis, 3 runs, 7 hits, 1 error. Batteries: Seymour and Warner; Hart and Douglass.  
 At Brooklyn—Brooklyn, 7 runs, 14 hits, 1 error; Chicago, 3 runs, 13 hits, 0 errors. Batteries: Kennedy and Smith; Briggs and Kittredge.  
 At Baltimore—Baltimore, 7 runs, 11 hits, 1 error; Pittsburgh, 2 runs, 6 hits, 3 errors. Batteries: Nops and Clark; Gardner and Merritt.  
 At Boston—Boston, 7 runs, 12 hits, 0 errors; Cincinnati, 6 runs, 11 hits, 3 errors. Batteries: Stivetts and Bergen; Dwyer and Schriver.  
 At Philadelphia—Philadelphia, 5 runs, 7 hits, 1 error; Cleveland, 7 runs, 10 hits, 0 errors. Batteries: Efield and McFarland; Wilson and Zimmer.  
 At Washington—Washington, 7 runs, 15 hits, 2 errors; Louisville, 7 runs, 9 hits, 3 errors. Batteries: McJames and Farrell; Cunningham and Dexter. Called at the end of the tenth inning on account of darkness.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.	W	L	P.C.
Boston.....	78	34	695
Baltimore.....	75	33	694
New York.....	69	39	641
Cincinnati.....	63	45	584
Cleveland.....	56	52	519
Chicago.....	50	62	445
Brooklyn.....	49	63	441
Louisville.....	49	63	436
Philadelphia.....	49	63	436
Pittsburgh.....	47	61	435
Washington.....	46	61	430
St. Louis.....	28	84	247

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### FURTHER INJUNCTIONS.

Methodist Preacher Among Those Enjoined from Holding Meetings.

Wheeling, W. Va., Sept. 4.—Another injunction was served this morning on J. W. Rea, J. W. Wood and seventy-two others and an unlimited number of unnamed persons, prohibiting them from holding meetings or marching near the property of the Worthington Coal and Coke Company. This injunction was issued by Judge J. H. Hagans, the regular judge of the Marion county circuit court.

Among those named in the instrument is Rev. W. H. Wiley, who has been holding religious services in the miners' camps on Sundays and prayer meetings to pray for the operators and Governor Fleming at any of these services. Wiley is the regular pastor of the Methodist Church.

The miners at Acme have joined the strike and the Kanawha district is completely tied up. In the Norfolk and Western regions the strikers have made substantial gains.

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## BRYAN AND THE STRIKE.

He Denounces the Growth of Government by Injunction.

Kansas City, Mo., Sept. 4.—In an interview in Lincoln today William J. Bryan, when asked as to his position on the question of government by injunction, replied: "My views are expressed better than I could express them on the platform which the Democratic State convention adopted here yesterday, the injunction plank of which read:

"We express our deep sympathy with the coal miners of the Eastern and Middle States in their lawful and peaceful efforts to secure living wages. The business derangement and individual suffering arising from this prolonged contest add weight to the demand for the enforcement of the principles of arbitration in such cases, while the fact that success has attended the efforts of employers both to co-operate among themselves and to enjoin their employees from doing the same thing has made more extended the well-nigh universal opposition to government by injunction; and we view with great alarm the late decision of Judge Jackson, of the Federal court, in enjoining the struggling employees of the coal barons of Pennsylvania and Ohio from walking on the public highway and peacefully assembling to discuss their wrongs and attempt to better their condition, as the overgrowth of the universal abuse of the writ of injunction by the courts."

"Those are my views," said Mr. Bryan, "but that is not an issue upon which political parties can be formed. The sentiment against government by injunction is widespread; it is confined to no class of people. It is a great economical question. However, unlike the proper issue of money, it has not the power to cause a line of cleavage. Even the Republican party will not declare in favor of injunction. The money question goes deeper. It is a fundamental economic question affecting every man, woman and child in the country."

### CUBA IS NEARLY FREE.

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65 pieces 36-inch Dress Goods for Misses' and Children's School Dresses, warranted absolutely all wool, will wash like muslin. Complete line of colors.

**ONLY 25c. A YARD**

43 pieces 36-inch High Novelty Dress Goods in all the new ideas for this season. They look like the dollar stuffs that come from abroad, really worth 50c. By buying now you get them for **37 1/2-2 cents.**

29 pieces 40-inch Novelty Dress Goods, all the latest ideas among them—great big values for early buyers here—**50 cents.**

20 pieces Fine Silk Finished Henrietta, 38 inches wide, actually worth 75c. Here's a big bargain for you—**50 cents.**

40 pieces 36-inch Fine All-Wool French Serge, in Black and Colors, the imported kind, shades and finish perfect. 33c the regular value. To encourage early buyers **ONLY 25 cents.**

## SILKS AND VELVETS.—Big buying and

ready cash bring results that benefit the consumer. Don't wait and pay more.

10 pieces Rich Black Satin Brocades in the most beautiful designs ever shown, they are superb, the heavy elegant kind, regular \$1 grade. Early buyers get the advantage—**75 cents.**

20 pieces heavy and elegant Black Silks in Armure, Peau de Soie, Luxor, Duchesse, Taffeta, Gros Grain, and Paille Francais. Biggest values on record,

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15 pieces Colored Taffeta Glace Silks in the most recent color combinations,

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15 pieces Rich Brocade Silks, the newest and the prettiest, the \$1 kind. Buy your Silk Waist now—**ONLY 75c.**

40 pieces Silk Faced Velvet in all the proper shades, such as you are in the habit of paying 75c for. Here's big value—

**ONLY 50 cents.**

50 pieces Silk Faced Velvet to match any \$1 velvet you may bring us. The goods will back the assertion. **ONLY 75 cents.**

**BIG SALE OF FINE LINENS.**—A rare opportunity to get the finest Linens at a saving of 25 per cent.

Fine Fringed Table Sets, cloth 2 1/2 yards long; 1 dozen doilies to match; regular value \$5—only **\$3.75.**

Fine Fringed Table Sets, cloth 3 yards long; 1 dozen Doilies to match; only **\$4.50**—worth \$6.

Fine Hemstitched Table Sets, washed German Damask, cloth 2 1/2 yards long, 1 dozen napkins to match, only **\$7.**

Fine Hemstitched Sets, cloth 3 yards long, 1 doz. napkins to match, only **\$7.50.**

Fine Knotted Fringe Table Sets in fine Linen Satin Damask, in Nile green, light and dark blue and pink, the newest in fine Linens in colored sets, 2 1/2 yard cloth and 1 dozen Doilies to match, **\$6.**

Fringed Linen Table Cloths with red borders, 2 1/2 yards long, now 62 1/2c, worth 89c.

Fringed Linen Table Cloths with red borders, 2 1/2 yards long, now 69c, worth \$1.

72-inch fine Bleached Damask, worth \$1.25 a yard, now **\$1.**

Napkins, Large Size, to match Linen—**\$4 a dozen.**

72-inch Bleached Damask in beautiful designs at 75c a yard.

72-inch Plain Satin Damask, with 9-inch satin border; never less than \$1.25, here for **\$1.**

Special big values in Finest Linen Table Cloths, 2, 2 1/2 and 3 yards long, \$2.50, \$3, \$3.50 and \$5 each.

50 dozen Napkins, dinner size, good for \$1.25, now **\$1.12 1/2** per dozen.

25 dozen 3-4 Napkins at \$1.50; actual every day value **\$1.75.**

20 dozen 3-4 Napkins, very fine grade Linen, a good representation of the \$3.50 sort, special at **\$2.75 a dozen.**

Special in fine grade of Bleached Doilies, always \$1 a dozen before, only **75c.** Only about 15 dozen left.

20 dozen very fine doilies, the \$1.50 sort; a bargain at **\$1.25 a dozen.**

100 dozen heavy All-Linen Doilies; special value at **60c a dozen.**

45-inch Art Embroidery Linens for drawn work and embroidery purposes, 50c and 75c. These are two great favorites with artists.

36-inch fine Irish Linen, really worth 37 1/2c, for **25c a yard.**

25 dozen extra large DAMASK TOWELS, 25x52 inches, knotted fringe, only **25c.**

One lot of fine grade DAMASK TOWELS, worth 37 1/2c, 39c and 50c each, only **29c each.**

25 dozen lot very fine Satin DAMASK TOWELS, worth 59 to 75c each; any of them for **50c each.**

Extra Fine Towels at 62 1/2c, 75c, 89c and \$1 each. See them.

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